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SUBJ: SUGAR: FOREIGN MINISTRY OFFICIAL CRITIZES US TARIFF
INCREASE

REF: A) STATE 50855, B) SANTO DOMINGO 1194

1. IN A SPEECH BEFORE THE CEGAN MEETING MARCH 9-15 IN SANTO DOMINGO, UNDERSECRETARY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS LICELOTT MARTE DE BARRIOS FOCUSED ON THE NEGATIVE ASPECTS OF THE TRIPLING OF US TARIFFS ON SUGAR IMPORTS LAST NOVEMBER IN DISCUSSING THE IMPORTANCE THAT EXTERNAL FACTORS HAVE ON THE EOCNIC DEVELOPMENT OF A COUNTRY. SHE ALSO NOTED THAT THE EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET SUBSIDIZES ITS SUGAR PRODUCERS AND ITS MARKETING. THESE, SHE SAID, WERE TWO VERY IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS FOR THE DR SINCE SUGAR IS ITS PRINCIPAL EXPORT ITEM. IF THE RESTRICTIVE TARIFFS CONTINUED, THE DR WOULD BE AT SUCH A DISADVANTAGE, SINCE ITS IMPORTS CONTINUE TO INCREASE IN PRICE, THAT ITS EFFORTS TO DEVELOP ECONIMICALLY COULD BE IN VAIN.

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2. UNDERSECRETARY MARTE DE BARRIOS ALSO TOUCHED ON THE GATT NEGOTIATIONS, THE NEED FOR A NEW LOOK AT THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANIZATION 10-YEAR PROGRAM, AND THE NECESSITY TO REACTIVATE OR ENERGIZE EXISTING ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS SELA (LATIN AMERICAN ECONOMIC SYSTEM), GEPLACEA (GROUP OF LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN SUGAR EXPORTING COUNTRIES), AND THE CARIBBEAN COMMISSION FOR DEVELOPMENT AND COOPERATION.

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